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H. CON. RES. 139

Authorizing printing of the brochures entitled “How Our Laws Are Made” and “Our American Government” the publication entitled “Our Flag”, the document-sized, annotated version of the United States Constitution, and the pocket version of the United States Constitution.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 7, 2003

Mr. NEY (for himself and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Authorizing printing of the brochures entitled “How Our Laws Are Made” and “Our American Government”, the publication entitled “Our Flag”, the document-sized, annotated version of the United States Constitution, and the pocket version of the United States Constitution.

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring),*

3 **SECTION 1. HOW OUR LAWS ARE MADE.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—An edition of the brochure enti-
5 tled “How Our Laws Are Made”, as revised under the di-
6 rection of the Parliamentarian of the House of Represent-
7 atives in consultation with the Parliamentarian of the Sen-

ate, shall be printed as a House document under the direction of the Joint Committee on Printing.

(b) **ADDITIONAL COPIES.**—In addition to the usual number, there shall be printed the lesser of—

(1) 550,000 copies of the document, of which 440,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, 100,000 copies shall be for the use of the Senate, and 10,000 copies shall be for the use of the Joint Committee on Printing; or

(2) such number of copies of the document as does not exceed a total production and printing cost of \$220,794, with distribution to be allocated in the same proportion as described in paragraph (1), except that in no case shall the number of copies be less than 1 per Member of Congress.

SEC. 2. OUR AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—The 2003 revised edition of the brochure entitled “Our American Government” shall be printed as a House document under the direction of the Joint Committee on Printing.

(b) **ADDITIONAL COPIES.**—In addition to the usual number, there shall be printed the lesser of—

(1) 550,000 copies of the document, of which 440,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, 100,000 copies shall be for the use

1 of the Senate, and 10,000 copies shall be for the use
 2 of the Joint Committee on Printing; or

3 (2) such number of copies of the document as
 4 does not exceed a total production and printing cost
 5 of \$454,160, with distribution to be allocated in the
 6 same proportion as described in paragraph (1), ex-
 7 cept that in no case shall the number of copies be
 8 less than 1 per Member of Congress.

9 **SEC. 3. OUR FLAG.**

10 (a) IN GENERAL.—The 2003 revised edition of the
 11 publication entitled “Our Flag” shall be printed as a
 12 House document under the direction of the Joint Com-
 13 mittee on Printing.

14 (b) ADDITIONAL COPIES.—In addition to the usual
 15 number, there shall be printed the lesser of—

16 (1) 550,000 copies of the document, of which
 17 440,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of
 18 Representatives, 100,000 copies shall be for the use
 19 of the Senate, and 10,000 copies shall be for the use
 20 of the Joint Committee on Printing; or

21 (2) such number of copies of the document as
 22 does not exceed a total production and printing cost
 23 of \$198,108, with distribution to be allocated in the
 24 same proportion as described in paragraph (1), ex-

1 cept that in no case shall the number of copies be
2 less than 1 per Member of Congress.

3 **SEC. 4. DOCUMENT-SIZED, ANNOTATED UNITED STATES**
4 **CONSTITUTION.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—The 2003 edition of the docu-
6 ment-sized, annotated version of the United States Con-
7 stitution shall be printed as a House document under the
8 direction of the Joint Committee on Printing.

9 (b) ADDITIONAL COPIES.—In addition to the usual
10 number, there shall be printed the lesser of—

11 (1) 550,000 copies of the document, of which
12 440,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of
13 Representatives, 100,000 copies shall be for the use
14 of the Senate, and 10,000 copies shall be for the use
15 of the Joint Committee on Printing; or

16 (2) such number of copies of the document as
17 does not exceed a total production and printing cost
18 of \$432,647, with distribution to be allocated in the
19 same proportion as described in paragraph (1), ex-
20 cept that in no case shall the number of copies be
21 less than 1 per Member of Congress.

22 **SEC. 5. POCKET VERSION OF THE UNITED STATES CON-**
23 **STITUTION.**

24 (a) IN GENERAL.—The 21st edition of the pocket
25 version of the United States Constitution shall be printed

1 as a House document under the direction of the Joint
2 Committee on Printing.

3 (b) ADDITIONAL COPIES.—In addition to the usual
4 number, there shall be printed the lesser of—

5 (1) 550,000 copies of the document, of which
6 440,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of
7 Representatives, 100,000 copies shall be for the use
8 of the Senate, and 10,000 copies shall be for the use
9 of the Joint Committee on Printing; or

10 (2) such number of copies of the document as
11 does not exceed a total production and printing cost
12 of \$126,729, with distribution to be allocated in the
13 same proportion as described in paragraph (1), ex-
14 cept that in no case shall the number of copies be
15 less than 1 per Member of Congress.

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